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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

- 1. A computerized interface for data presentation, comprising:
- a lens component associated with a portion of a user interface display, the lens component defines an area to display information from at least one search result; and
- a layout component that displays a detailed subset of information within the lens component based upon the search result.
- 2. The system of claim 1, further comprising at least one search engine and at least one local or remote database to retrieve the search result.
- 3. The system of claim 1, the layout component receives user inputs that operates, alters, or selects display criteria of the lens component and other search results.
- 4. The system of claim 3, further comprising one or more parameters that effect the display criteria.
- 5. The system of claim 4, the parameters include at least one of a lens size, a lens shape, a lens location, a magnification factor, a presentation rate, a delay, a trigger, and a minimum font size.
- 6. The system of claim 1, further comprising at least one other lens component to display information.
- 7. The system of claim 1, the lens component is defined as a fisheye lens that is applied vertically to a display at about a focal center of the display.

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- 8. The system of claim 7, the focal center includes one result item comprising a title, description, and URL of a web page.
- 9. The system of claim 7, the fisheye lens is associated with a piecewise view.
- 10. The system of claim 1, further comprising a display option for controlling a rate of magnification for the lens component by using a factor as a target and incrementally adjusting a zoom until the target is reached.
- 11. The system of claim 10, further comprising a display of animated content that enlarges and settles into a maximum size.
- 12. The system of claim 10, further comprising a parameter that controls a size of zoom increments.
- 13. The system of claim 12, the zoom increments are controlled with a step function.
- 14. The system of claim 12, further comprising geometric or exponential functions that allow data to grow or settle at varying acceleration.
- 15. The system of claim 12, further comprising a content insertion parameter that is adjusted according to a rate of insertion or according to a size of information chunks.
- 16. The system of claim 1, further comprising a control panel to allow designers to adjust display parameters for the lens component or the layout component.
- 17. The system of claim 1, further comprising a display output associated with at least one of an instant information view and a dynamic information view.

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- 18. The system of claim 17, the dynamic information view is coordinated with an amount of content to progressively insert content into a description according to time a mouse hovers over a particular result.
- 19. A computer readable medium having computer readable instructions stored thereon for implementing the components of claim 1.
- 20. A system for displaying query results, comprising: means for retrieving search results from a database; means for processing the search results in accordance with a lens; and means for displaying at least one search result from within the lens and other search results outside the lens.
- 21. A method for automatic search result organization, comprising: defining a plurality of parameters for displaying search results; defining a lens region to display at least one of the search result; and displaying at least one of the search results within the lens region and at least one other search result outside the lens region.
- 22. The method of claim 21, the parameters include at least one of a lens size, a lens shape, a lens location, a magnification factor, a viewing rate, a delay, a trigger, and a minimum font size.
- 23. The method of claim 22, further comprising providing a focal center for the lens region.
- 24. The method of claim 23, further comprising controlling a rate of magnification for the lens region by using a factor as a target and incrementally adjusting a zoom until the target is reached.

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- 25. A graphical user interface, comprising: one or more data items and associated results retrieved from a database; one or more display objects created for the data items; an input component for selecting the data items and the associated parameters; and
- a lens component to present at least one of the display objects in a different format with respect to a collection of the data items.
- 26. The interface of claim 25, further comprising controls for interacting with a search engine, a database, the display objects or the lens component.
- 27. The interface of claim 125, the data display objects are associated with at least one of text insertion, query-relevant text insertion, thumbnails of a web page, information about a size of a result, a download speed, and a recency of a page.